



# CITY OF LODI COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**AGENDA TITLE:** Presentation of Certificates of Recognition to Participants in the Lodi Breakthrough Project

**MEETING DATE:** February 1, 2006

**PREPARED BY:** City Clerk

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**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** That Mayor Hitchcock present Certificates of Recognition to participants in the Lodi Breakthrough Project.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** The Mayor has been requested to present Certificates of Recognition to participants in the Lodi Breakthrough Project. The Breakthrough Project's vision is, "A community that is free of bigotry, racism, prejudice, and intolerance by celebrating our diversity through communication, education, and responding to acts of intolerance." Recently, it sponsored an essay contest at the high schools, with the theme of "Building Harmony in My School." Mr. Art Raab will be at the meeting to speak on this worthwhile project and to introduce Emily Highsmith, Macy Boschee, Joey Melo, Rebecca Gilbert, Ajay Paul, and Linh Doan, winners of the essay contest.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** None.

**FUNDING AVAILABLE:** None required.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Susan J. Blackston".

Susan J. Blackston  
City Clerk

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APPROVED: Blair King, City Manager